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PRIMARY RESULTS

FOLK CARRIES COUNTY OVER WILFLEY BY 92 VOTES

BOOHER GETS BIG VOTE

McCaffrey Beats Cook by Big Margin and Judge Blackford Easily Disposes of His Opponent Williams

Joseph W. Folk for senator by 92 votes.

Uel W. Lamkin for state superintendent; no opposition.

Waller W. Graves for judge supreme court; no opposition.

Charles F. Booher for congress by 588 votes.

William Job for representative; no opposition.

W. M. Blackford for presiding judge by 474 votes.

Dwight Davis for judge county court, south district; no opposition.

George Hepburn for judge county court, north district; no opposition.

Fred Yeomans for county clerk; no opposition.

G. H. Westfall for circuit clerk; no opposition.

Charles McCaffrey for prosecuting attorney by 235 votes.

Dan R. Baker for recorder; no opposition.

Jesse F. Robertson for judge probate court; no opposition.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Selden P. Spencer for senator by 286 votes.

Samuel A. Baker for state superintendent by 257 votes.

James T. Neville for judge supreme court; no opposition.

Fred W. Smith for county clerk; no opposition.

C. L. Gann for recorder; no opposition.

Richard L. McDougal for judge probate court; no opposition.

The primary election held yesterday was one of the quietest held in this county with a Democratic vote cast of about 1,500 votes and a Republican vote of 428. The Folk-Wilfley contest for senator brought out a bigger vote in the county than was expected.

Former Governor Folk carried the county for senator over Senator Wilfley by 92. The Folk supporters had expected a majority of 300 to 400 while the Wilfley followers had thought Folk would carry it by 150 to 200.

Congressman Charles F. Booher received a big vote over his opponents, William E. Spratt and Robert I. Young. Booher's vote was 1,015 to Spratt's 427 and Young's 48. Booher carried every precinct in the county with the exception of Jefferson northeast and Jefferson south. He carried the four wards in Maryville by a vote of 319 to 111 for Spratt.

Judge W. M. Blackford, for presiding judge of the county court, easily outdistanced his opponent, Samuel H. Williams. Blackford's majority being 474.

The contest for prosecuting attorney between Charles F. McCaffrey and Ellis G. Cook was closely watched by the friends of both candidates, but McCaffrey took the lead from the first precincts that came in. McCaffrey's majority was 235 over Cook.

On the Republican ticket Judge S. P. Spencer carried the county by a big vote. Samuel A. Baker for state superintendent of schools also carried the county by a good vote.

The election returns were received by the Democrat-Forum at the circuit court room.

27,000 EAGLES WITH COLORS

Well Known Washington Resident Visits Maryville On Way Home From National Convention

Del Cary Smith of Spokane, Wash., is visiting the family of Mrs. Helen Hopkins, 228 West Lincoln street. He is returning from attending the national convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles at Pittsburgh, Pa. He informs us that the order is engaged in much patriotic war work, 27,000 members of the order already being in military service. From last report 87 have died in the service. Under the law passed at Buffalo in 1917 the dependents of each of the deceased members receive $1,000. In addition the order has established rest and recreation rooms in France and also appointed a commission to aid wounded and disabled Eagles and to help them to become a producing power in their several communities after being mustered out of service.

The order is strictly American and is 400,000 strong. Its war work activities mean the expenditure of millions of dollars, depending on the duration of the war.

Mr. Smith is chairman of the Democratic county central committee of Spokane county.

TRIPLET DAUGHTER DEAD

Lillie Nichols Dies Yesterday From Injuries Received in a Fall Monday

Lillie, one of the triplet daughters of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Nichols of Wilcox, died yesterday afternoon from the effect of injuries received in a fall the day previous.

The triplets were thirteen months old yesterday. Their parents exhibited by them at the baby show of the Nodaway county fair last year and they attracted great attention.

Funeral services were held at four o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church of Wilcox conducted by the Rev. S. D. Harlan of Graham. The body was taken to Graham for burial.

CAPPER AND ALLEN AHEAD.

Topeka, Aug. 7.—Yesterday's primary resulted, according to late returns, in a safe majority for Governor Arthur Capper for United States senator and Henry Allen for governor. No totals are yet available on state officers and it may be late in the week before there will be a positive decision. Pettijohn leads for secretary of state and Hawkes for attorney general.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Snyder and daughter, Lucile, left this morning for a visit with relatives in St. Joseph and Kansas City.

Miss Vera Long of Graham came to Maryville this morning to spend the remainder of the week, the guest of Miss Inez Moore.

THE CITY'S PROBLEM

EVERY RESIDENT IS URGED TO ATTEND MASS MEETING

MAYOR WILL BE THERE

Will Present Statement of Finances and Revenues So That All May Know the Facts Fully

"I am sure that every property owner in Maryville ought to take a vital interest in the city's condition as regards finances and inability to meet its obligations and operating expenses and I hope that there will a large attendance at the mass meeting tomorrow night," said Mayor W. O. Garrett this morning, when asked concerning the meeting. Mayor Garrett said that he would be there, as would be the members of the city council, to answer any questions regarding city matters and to furnish figures concerning the operating expenses of all departments together with the amount of revenues returned to the city each year from taxation and other sources.

"This is just as much the people's business as it is mine," said Mayor Garrett, "and I want them to know exactly the condition in which we are placed. There must be some plan devised that will return a certain revenue each year and it is wise to get together in a mass meeting and discuss the situation fully."

Mayor Garrett said that he expected to go over the records today and ascertain just what the city revenues were and also to compile a statement of operating expenses so that the facts might be presented fully.

While the plan to secure voluntary subscriptions to pay off the present indebtedness and relieve the city is pointed out that even if such a plan is followed the relief would be but temporary. With expenses exceeding revenues the borrowing process would soon have to be done over again. Some provision must be made that will insure revenue enough each year to cover the cost of city operation.

Those who have taken the time to familiarize themselves with the situation and with existing conditions and laws are of the opinion that a new city charter giving broader powers will prove the reasonable solution.

The directors of the Commercial Club, at whose instance the call for the mass meeting was made, realizing that the present condition of city finances which has necessitated the cutting off of all street lights is a forecast of danger, desire every resident of the city irrespective of membership with the club attend the meeting and help to solve the problems that are paramount.

Guest at Shinabargar Home.

Miss Loretta Gex of Graham is visiting in the city the guest of Miss Mildred Shinabargar.

A new heating plant is being installed in the Graham school building. A modern ventilating system will also be included in the improvements.

IS LARGEST CASUALTY LIST

871 Are Reported Today, With 114 Killed In Action, 371 Severely Wounded, 105 Missing

Washington, Aug. 7.—The largest casualty list yet issued at one time came from the war department today emphasizing the losses of the American forces in their victorious battles on the Rheims-Soissons salient. There were five lists from the army and one from the marines, the total casualties being 871, of which the army lost 579 and the marines 292.

In the army 63 were killed in action, 7 died of wounds, one from disease, one from airplane accident, one from other causes, 338 were severely wounded, 63 were wounded, degree undetermined, and 105 were missing in action.

In the marines 51 were killed in action, two died of wounds, 33 were severely wounded and 206 were wounded, degree undetermined.

NAMED COMMITTEES

DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN COMMITTEEMEN ELECTED

TO ORGANIZE TUESDAY

M. E. Ford Selected by Polk Township Democrats—J. F. Hull the Republican Choice

Members of the Democratic and Republican county committees were selected at the primary election yesterday. These committees will meet in Maryville next Tuesday for the purpose of organizing.

M. E. Ford was selected as the committeeman from Polk township on the Democratic ticket. The other members of the Democratic committee elected were: Grant, Dr. J. A. Larrabee; Jefferson, Roy Fitzsimmons; Lincoln, A. G. Castillo; White Cloud, J. T. Goff.; Atchison, John Burch; Hopkins, Clyde Melvin; Hughes, Wiley Lankford; Green, J. S. Carden; Jackson, L. L. King; Monroe, W. S. Linville; Nodaway, Charles Lane; Union, J. F. Hanna; Washington, J. L. Hocker; Independence, either W. E. Johnston or Dr. E. Crowson.

Fred Hull was elected as the member of the Republican county committee from Polk township. The other members selected for that committee were as follows: Hughes, George McNeal; Hopkins, Henry Russell; Atchison, Howard Garrett; White Cloud, W. A. Shinabargar; Lincoln, E. K. Bailey; Green, H. C. Bailey; Jackson, Ira A. Goodson; Monroe, J. C. Spahr; Nodaway, John Praiswater; Union, W. C. Smith; Washington, J. V. Pugh.

In Grant township one vote each was cast for S. A. Roach, W. H. Goforth, John A. Fields, George Daniels and John Jorgensen as a member from that township on the Republican committee. The county committee will probably select one of these men to represent that township. In Independence township A. J. Roof was probably elected, while it was thought that James Enis was elected in Jef-

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TO RUSH DRAFT BILL

AGE LIMIT MEASURE IS NOW BEFORE BOTH HOUSES

REGISTER SEPT. 5 PLAN

Nearly 13,000,000 Men Are Within the Specified Ages, With 2,398,845 Estimated as Eligibles

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—With an urgent recommendation from Provost Marshal General Crowder that it be enacted without delay and a suggestion that September 5 next might be fixed as registration day for approximately 13,000,000 men throughout the country, the administration's man-power bill requiring the registration for military service of all men between the ages of 18 and 45 years has been introduced today in both the Senate and the House.

Unless immediate steps are taken to provide additional men, Crowder said, the weekly registration of men as they attain 21 years of age will be necessary to fill the draft quotas after September 1, when only 100,000 of the 1918 registrants will be available.

Upon the introduction of the bill, Chairman Chamberlain announced that the Senate Military Committees would meet tomorrow to consider the bill. He said he did not think hearings would be necessary, and only three or four days should be required to report the bill. Chairman Dent of the House Committee said since only three members of his committee were in Washington, it was doubtful whether the bill could be acted upon before the House reconvenes August 19.

Suggestions made on the Senate floor by Senator Curtis of Kansas that the Senate abandon its program of recesses and perfunctory sessions until August 24, if the bill can be favorably reported by the committee within a few days, were indorsed by Chamberlain.

Plan Registration September 5.

Crowder, in a statement submitted by Chamberlain, suggested September 5 as the date for a national registration of men within the proposed new ages.

Weekly registration of youths attaining the age of 21 during the next few weeks, was proposed by Crowder as the only means of obtaining the 200,000 men to be called to the colors in September. This could be done by presidential proclamation and would add about 80,000 to the number of men available.

After carrying out the program for July and August, Crowder pointed out that only 100,000 of the 1918 registrants would be left on September 1 for subsequent calls.

"The second and more difficult question," Crowder's statement added, "is how we can supply on time the 150,000 men required for each of the succeeding months of October, November and December. The British-Canadian treaty would help out to the extent, it is estimated, of about 50,000 men, which is not even the conventional drop in the bucket."

Between the ages of 32 and 45, Crowder estimated, there are 10,028,973

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* TO YOU WHO HAVE FRIENDS IN FRANCE. *

* It's a long time between letters when you're waiting to hear from France nowadays, isn't it? *

* Why not shorten the interval by sharing your letters with other Maryville folks and Nodaway county residents. *

* Mail a copy of your letter to the Democrat-Forum or phone 283. Parts which you do not want printed will be omitted. *

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BOOHER-SPRATT RACE CLOSE

Result of Congressional Contests Is In Doubt—May Take Official Vote to Decide

The congressional race for the nomination between Congressman Charles F. Booher of Savannah and William E. Spratt of St. Joseph is very close according to reports from over the district at a late hour this afternoon. It might take the official vote to decide.

Congressman Booher carried Nodaway county by 588, Andrew by 574, with one precinct out, Holt by 110 with three precincts out, and Atchison by 105 with one precinct out. Spratt will probably get Platte county by 50 votes. His lead in that county was 35 votes with three precincts to hear from. The St. Joseph News-Press had Spratt leading in Buchanan county by over 1,300 votes, with three precincts yet to hear from.

FOLK GETS THE NOMINATION

Incomplete Returns From the State Give Former Governor Lead Over Wilfley of 25,000 Votes

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—Former Governor Joseph W. Folk and Selden P. Spencer will be opposing candidates for election to United States senator as a result of yesterday's primaries. Incomplete returns from over the state give Folk a lead of from 25,000 to 30,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—Judge J. W. Alexander was re-nominated as congressman from the third congressional district over Judge Divelbiss by 1,000 votes.

Congressman Shackleford of Jefferson City was defeated for re-nomination by W. L. Nelson of Columbia. Congressman Rucker was re-nominated in the second district. Congressman Borland of Kansas City was defeated by W. T. Bland by a big vote.

25 KILLED IN STORM.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Lake Charles, La., Aug. 7.—Twenty-five lives were lost and several million dollars in property damage was done by the storm that visited this section last night.

BIG ARMIES ARE RESTING

FRENCH AND AMERICANS MOVE UP BIG GUNS IN PREPARATION FOR ATTACK

BAD WEATHER PREVAILS OVER FIGHTING FRONT

The French Have Made Progress On the Picardy and Vesle Lines, With the British In Some Big Gains In the Albert Sector

Paris, Aug.: 7. — Successful local operations in which the Allies gained ground and improved their positions and the repulse of German counter attacks were reported from the western battle front today. The inevitable period of comparative inaction which always follows a rapid advance has set in south of the Aisne river where the French and Americans are moving up their guns before renewing their assaults on a grand scale. Meanwhile violent artillery combats have developed north of the Vesle, with the Allies bombarding the areas far in the rear of the German front. Large gains have been scored by the French on both the Picardy and Aisne and Marne fronts within the past twenty-four hours, the French continuing heavy presure opposite Montdidier, while the British have advanced farther north in the Albert district.

Bad weather still prevails over a wide portion of the fighting front. British troops have arrived at Vladivostock, a dispatch from Tientsin says.

London, Aug. 7.—A double advance by the British is reported today. All the ground that had been lost to the Germans in the Merl-Ancourt sector was regained, while the British ad-

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* THE WEATHER *

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Primary Election Returns in Contested Races

	Polk, A	Polk, B	Polk, C	Polk, D	Atchison	Grant	Green	Hopkins	Hughes	Independence, N	Independence, S	Jackson	Jefferson, NE	Jefferson, NW	Jefferson, S	Lincoln, N	Lincoln, S	Monroe	Nodaway	Union	Washington	White Cloud, N	White Cloud, S	Totals	Plurality
FOR SENATOR—																									
Jos. W. Folk (D)	75	34	38	40	29	62	24	18	40	17	29	51	6	20	9	39	13	55	61	25	31	19	24	759	92
John C. Higdon (D)	3	1		3	1	1		3	2		1	2		4	1	3	1				2	1		29	
X. P. Wilfley (D)	104	40	44	56	49	35	15	23	30	7	24	33	22	12	26	12	7	24	38	24	19	10	13	667	
Selden P. Spencer (R)	27	30	21	35	25	14	13	37	21	4		15		9	2	13	8	24	25	9	9	10	6	357	286
Jay L. Torrey (R)	7	5	3	3	5	2	2	5	4	7		4		1	1	3	1	4	1	3	4	4	2	71	
FOR CONGRESSMAN—																									
Chas. F. Booher (D)	129	55	57	78	49	69	29	36	60	13	31	57	8	19	8	55	20	52	60	37	40	22	31	1015	588
Wm. E. Spratt(D)	41	23	28	19	20	32	11	9	14	11	21	28	20	16	27	3	4	26	37	14	12	5	6	427	
Robt. I. Young (D)	10	2	1	5	3					2	1	4		3	1	2	1	1	4	2	2	4		48	
FOR STATE SUPERINTENDENT —																									
Uel W. Lamkin (D)	196	83	96	107	75	100	42	45	78	26	54	90		40	36	62	25	81	108	56	55	31	37	1523	
Sam'l A. Baker (R)	17	25	18	27	24	12	15	34	23	10		15		8	3	12	7	24	22	11		14	6	327	257
Gus H. Boehm (R)	12	8	4	10	6	3		2	1	2		3		2		7	1	4	1	1			3	70	
PRESIDING JUDGE CO. COURT—																									
W.M. Blackford (D)	125	57	63	67	50	65	15	35	66	20	19	62	21	23	13	41	8	61	38	39	43	31	20	982	473
S. H. Williams (D)	57	21	27	34	24	31	24	10	7	6	34	23	5	17	24	19	17	18	65	14	10	5	16	508	
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY—																									
Chas. F. McCaffrey (D)	141	42	70	72	23	72	16	12	38	7	23	45	25	37	34	33	10	34	54	26	35	5	11	865	235
Ellis G. Cook (D)	49	38	22	30	51	28	23	32	35	16	35	39	3	3	3	26	15	44	48	24	17	25	24	630	

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ANTI-LYNCHING FUND

$100,000 Set Aside at San Antonio to Fight Mob Violence

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 7. — Announcement has ben made by publishers of the San Antonio Express of the establishment of a fund totalling $100,000 to be maintained for five years for the purpose of combatting and punishing lynching and mob violence within the bounds of continental United States. In announcing the fund it is stated that a reward of $100 well be paid each person directly responsible for the arrest and subsequent conviction of any person or persons instrumental in arousing a mob to commit lynching or participating in the lynching itself when the victim is white. A reward of $1,000 is provided under similar conditions when the victim of a lynching is a negro.

ISSUE PAPER FOR SOLDIERS

Grundy County to Publish 20-Page Magazine for Home Boys

Trenton, Mo., Aug. 7.—A twenty-page magazine for Grundy county soldiers and sailors will be published each month at Trenton. "The Grundy Idea" is the name of the new publication and Rev. N. M. Tatum, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will be general manager of the magazine. There are 600 boys from Grundy county in the service and it is expected that the subscription list will include all these names. The first issue of the magazine will appear about the middle of this month.

What Makes An Ace.

Every day we read of the thrilling exploits of the aviators of the French, Italian, British and American aces, who are eyes and protecting wings of the Allied lines, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

It takes many weary months of training before a man can fly and after he has learned all the necessary points for safety he has still to learn the fighting end of the game. To bring down his first enemy machine is his great ambition, and to become an ace is the determination of them all.

When a flyer has accounted for five enemy machines he is called an ace, and there are more aces in the air than in any pack of cards in the country.

Here's a cheer for them all.

Can the Garbage.

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Supplies enough glycerin
To make the explosives
For fourteen
75-millimeter shells,
Or fatty acid
For seventy-five pounds of soap,
Or fertilizer
For eight bushels of wheat.
And the wasted garbage foots up
To a loss of about
Five million dollars a year.
We Needed the War!

Jennings Weddle of Graham enlisted in the service of the government last week.

TO RUSH DRAFT BILL

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males, but taking into consideration those married or who would be subject to deferred classification because of physical conditions or other reasons, he estimates the "net effectives" at 601,236. Between 18 and 20, he estimates the number at 3,717,671, of which the "net effectives" would total 1,797,609.

BOY HAS BOTH ARMS BROKEN

Howard Bartlett Badly Injured In a Runaway Accident Yesterday at Burlington Junction

Howard Bartlett, the 12-year-old son of A. K. Bartlett, a farmer living near Burlington Junction, was injured yesterday by getting both arms broken in a runaway accident.

The lad was driving a horse and buggy, taking water to the men in the fields, when the horse became frightened and ran away, throwing Howard out, breaking both arms and inflicting other injuries.

FORMER RESIDENT IS DEAD

Father of Warren Jones Dies In St. Joseph—Funeral In This City Tomorrow

William Jones, a former resident of Nodaway county, and the father of Warren Jones of the Koch Pharmacy, died at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph.

The body was brought to this city today for interment. Funeral services will be held at the Warren Jones residence, 119 West Sixth street, at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The body will lie in state from 9 until 11 o'clock a. m. The burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. Jones was born in Ross county, Ohio. He came to Nodaway county in 1878 and lived here until 15 years ago, when he moved to St. Joseph. He is survived by two sons, Warren of this city, and W. Logan Jones of Independence, Mo. Mrs. Jones died in 1900.

UNFURLED A SERVICE FLAG.

High Prairie Residents Honor Their Boys Who are Serving the Colors.

Chas. F. McCaffrey, successful candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney made his first public appearance today when he delivered a patriotic address at High Prairie school, where residents of the neighborhood gathered to celebrate the raising of a service flag for the boys of the community who are now in service. The afternoon was devoted to speaking and having a social time. D. R. Baker and Fred J. Yeomans also attended the event.

TO VISIT CAPTAIN WALLIS.

To Spend a Few Days with Maryville Physician at Camp Grant.

Dr. F. C. Wallis, E. E. Williams and Dr. H. L. Stinson left at noon today for a few days visit with Captain Will Wallis, Jr., at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.

Mr. Williams also went to look after his farm near Blandinsville, Ill.

ENGLAND RAISED 6,250,000 MEN.

London, Aug. 7.—One hundred and fifty German submarines have been destroyed, more than half of them in the past twelve months, Premier Lloyd George declared this afternoon. Great Britain alone has raised 6,250,000 men for the army alone, the British premier also announced.

U-BOAT CREWS MUTINY.

London, Aug. 7.—More than fifty German submarines have been surrendered by their crews after their officers were overpowered as the result of widespread mutiny in the German navy, according to an Amsterdam dispatch today, which adds that twenty-three of the ringleaders of the mutineers were shot.

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Soldier's Letters

DOING NAVAL GUARD DUTY

Robert Stoll, Maryville Boy, Writes Interestingly of Experiences

From a plumbers' job in his home town to naval guard duty for Uncle Sam has been a big leap for Robert Stoll, who is now a sailor in the U. S. S. Mongolia. Young Stoll is a former Maryville boy. He was employed for several years by the Standard Plumbing company. He enlisted in the navy two and a half years ago. The following very interesting letter is one written to a member of the Normal faculty where Robert attended school:

"New York, Aug. 1.

"Since being to St. Naizaire, as I wrote you before, we have made two trips to Brest. Both were without incident except firing on a few suspicious objects. With troops aboard we can't afford to take any chances and any disturbance in the water or driftwood usually gets a few shots or a depth bomb.

"On the first trip we were only a few days run away from the 'President Lincoln,' and the last trip just a few days away from the Covington. This ship received the 'S. O. S.' very plain. I really think our ship has a horse shoe some place for we haven't seen any subs yet. We are all the time receiving warnings but that is as far as it goes.

"Brest is a more ancient city, I think, than St. Nazaire; they still have the large wall all around the city; in fact, two, and you can see the moat, except there is no water. Those walls are sure a fine piece of construction and it certainly must have taken centuries to build and still there is no signs of decay.

"Brest also has a large chateau or prison and fort. A couple of us took a trip through. We had a French guide, but his English wasn't of the best. This building was started in B. C. by the Phoenicians, then along came the Gauls, then old Julius added a little more and the last to complete the work were the French. There were some awful dungeons. After we started I was lost and if we had had no guide it would have taken me a long while to find my way out alone. They certainly did not care about prison reform in those days; they would put a prisoner in one of those dungeons, cement the entrance and feed them through a small hole in the roof, with 'live if you can.'

"Am glad to hear of your fine harvest, for the way ships are taking food away and bringing nothing back they wil certainly need it all and more, too. Still, I don't think the French people are as bad off as the English; at least in the coast cities. I mean in the way of food.

"If we mailed our letters on the ship they would be censored, but when going ashore on liberty I mail mine. I never write anything that would do the Germans any good if they did get it, do you think? The commander has told us very often what to write and what not.

"I will try to explain the foreign draft. You know when a person enlists he is first sent to a training station. After serving his time there they are sent aboard ship. There are anywhere from one hundred to a thousand sent in at a time. This is called a draft. Now, any bunch of men in the navy being sent to foreign waters for duty, either men from the stations or old timers from the ships, is called a foreign draft. Don't know if that explains very much, but hope you can understand.

THE GIRL AT HOME FOR HIM

French Girls Good Looking, But Can Not Surpass Americans

John Marion Worwag of Sabetha, Kans., who was employed for some time in the Haines dry goods store and who went to Camp Funston for training with the first contingent of Nodaway county boys, is now in France. He went with the 89th division some time in June. What he thinks of France and his journey is given in the following letter written to a Maryville friend:

"France, July 6.

"Well, here I am, somewhere in France, having the time of my life. I like it very much; was not crazy about England. I like France real well. The whole country of France has England beat, in my estimation. Every one teases us about the little French girls. Well, there are some good looking ones here, I guess, but I'll take the little girl at home for mine. These lassies have rosy cheeks and fair complexions, but their clothing isn't at all like our girls' at home. Some of them wear wooden shoes and their head dress is nothing to be compared to our American girls'.

"I certainly am crazy about New York and Coney Island. We were there long enough for me to take in Riverside Drive, Broadway from end to end, Fifth Avenue, Wall street; went to the top of the observation tower in the Woolworth building, Madison Square Garden and parks. I wish I could tell you of some of the sights coming over. The sunset on the ocean is the most beautiful sight I ever saw and I will never forget it. I was rather dizzy one day on the boat; some of the boys were real homesick.

"I am living in a French billet; it is a stone building with a tile roof. It is not near as bad as it might be, only we can get no candy, no gum, no sweets of any kind, and they all laugh when we ask for chocolate. Tobacco and wine is all you can buy in our place and as I don't use either you can see how I fare, for I have a mighty sweet tooth. It isn't a question of money, for the goods isn't here to buy if you had a barrel of coin.

"I am writing this letter sitting on the floor, so maybe it will be hard to read.

Newport Visitor Leaves.

Miss Margaret Beattie of Newport, Ark., who has been visiting her brother M. L. Beattie, and Mrs. Beattie for the past month, will leave tomorrow for a visit in Colorado before returning home.

MOTHERS TO BE

Should Read Mrs. Monyhan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, somedays I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go around and do all my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."—Mrs. PEARL MONYHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

BACK UP PERSHING

W. S. S. DRIVE ON AUGUST 26 IN GENERAL'S HONOR

PUT MISSOURI OVER TOP

Counties That Failed In Last Campaign and Those That Went Over Are Asked to Try It Again

General Pershing, commander of the American army in France, was born in Missouri September 13, 1860. The War Savings Committee of Missouri is preparing a second drive so as to complete its sale in pledges of War Savings Stamps by August 26, which will be Pershing Day in this state.

General Pershing's birthday, which will come soon after August 26, is to receive a message announcing that his state has gone "over the top" in the War Savings campaign in his honor. This letter, which will be sent to General Pershing by State Director Festus J. Wade, will reach General Pershing on or before September 13, his birthday.

The message will say: "Greetings from the people of Missouri." It will be a handsome engraved scroll and will contain the names of every county and county chairman in the state, going "over the top" on Pershing Day, August 26.

The document will also contain the names of school district committees that have sold their quota and will also have an honor roll of solicitors who have secured pledges of $1,000 or more on Pershing Day.

Director Wade says: "Missouri boys are fighting today in France under General Pershing. They are being killed in defense of our liberty and are giving their lives for us. Certainly, the least we can do is to lend our money to help our boys to earn an early victory. WILL YOU DO YOUR SHARE?"

Wheaton C. Ferris, one of the committee of management for the War Savings committee, has sent complete instructions for Pershing Day to all of the county chairmen.

On June 28, which was national War Savings Day, meetings were held all over Missouri but the state did not raise its complete quota of $71,000,000. The drive made on that particular occasion will be repeated on August 26. Pledge cards will be distributed in every community and solicitors will carry out the same program they did on June 28.

Counties that have already gone "over the top" with their quota will be asked to increase their allotment in honor of General Pershing. While the counties that failed to raise enough pledges for their quota, will be expected to intensify their efforts in this drive.

OLD FRIENDS MEET IN FRANCE

Frank Roney Finds a Horse Sold by His Father to the Government

Frank Roney, son of Peter J. Roney, who lives near Maryville, wrote home a few days ago that one of the first things he saw when he reached France where he went with the American Expeditionary Forces, was an old family horse that was owned by the family a few years ago and which was also a familiar figure on the streets here. The animal was purchased by agents of the government and sent to France. Frank said the horse quickly showed recognition when they met.

Returns to Decatur.

Miss Stella Craig, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary A. Phares, for the past two months, left last night for her home in Decatur, Illinois.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

NAMED COMMITTEES

(Continued from first page.)

ferson.

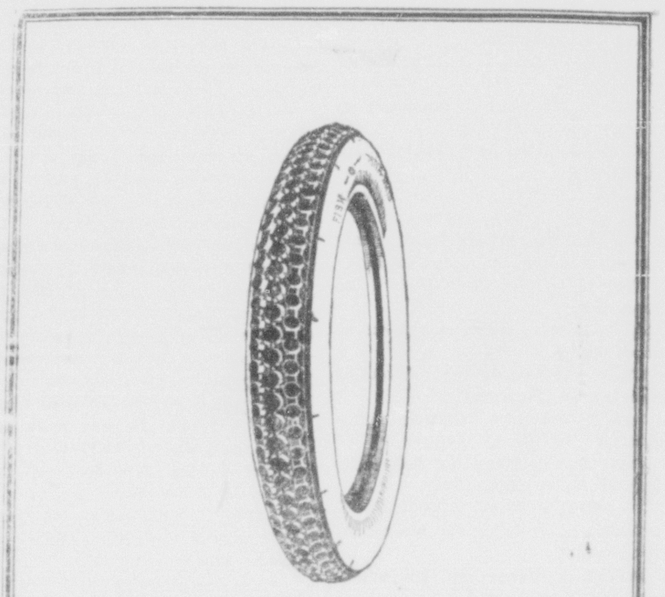
The Republican committee at their meeting next Tuesday will probably fill the vacancies on their county ticket. Judge E. T. Bailey has been mentioned for presiding judge of the county court and Judge J. H. Sayler for prosecuting attorney.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL

G. R. Ellison Called to Hot Springs, By Death of Dr. Holland

George Robb Ellison left this morning for Hot Springs, Ark., summoned there by the death of his brother-in-law, Dr. Estil D. Holland, who died yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Holland, who was Miss Cornelia Ellison, the eldest daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison, died in April, 1917, while on a visit with her parents here.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office



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Right in quality, in price and mileage, with the right policy back of it. The dependable, economically-priced automobile tire.

Diss & Irby
Maryville, Missouri

Watch Your Blood Supply, Don't Let Impurities Creep In

Pure Blood Means Perfect Health.

The average druggist has handled hundreds of medicines in his day, some of which have long since been forgotten.

But there is one that has been sold by the druggists throughout this country, for more than fifty years, and that is S. S. S., the reliable blood tory, Atlanta, Ga.

medicine, that is purely vegetable. Many druggists have seen wonderful results accomplished among their customers by this great old medicine, and they know that S. S. S. is one of the most reliable blood purifiers ever made. Keep your blood free of impurities by the use of this honest old medicine, and if you want medical advice, you can obtain same without cost by writing to Medical Director, Swift Specific Co., 28 Swift Labora-

Three New Styles

of Jersey dresses arrived today, colors taupe, navy and pekin—some embroidered and fringed models—others are tailored. Prices are ..... 25.00 and $38.75

See these new dresses early.

New styles in wool sweaters are here in the favorite slip-on models. Prices reasonable—color combinations new and appealing.

Watch tomorrow's papers for our advertisement.

D. R. Eversole & Son

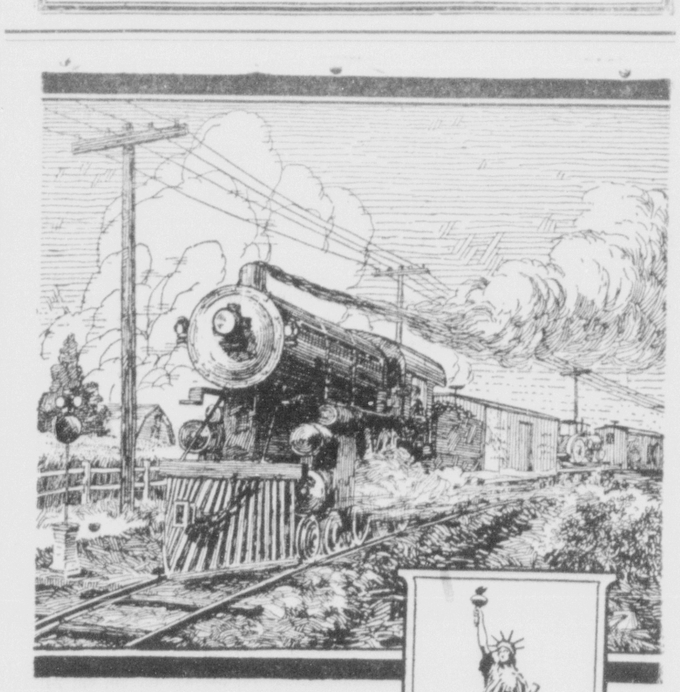
Household Goods at Auction

At my residence, 319 West Thompson street, SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, at 3:30 p. m. (Immediately following A.J. Anderson sale) the following:

Walnut sideboard, oak dining table and chairs, three book cases, 1 filing case, chairs, 1 oak bedroom suite, iron beds, 1 oak dresses, white enameled chiffonier and commode, 2 kitchen ranges, dishes, cooking utensils, etc.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

MRS. G. A. NASH



SPEED! More speed is essential to every business and industry because of the fewer persons available for labor. "An Hour More of Daylight" through the summer months will enable everyone to add to his or her personal efficiency. Speed up your business and your daily effort!

Save your money and deposit it in this Bank. Every cent you put to work here, helps make business better, helps to speed up industry and production in this community

Nodaway Valley Bank

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SOCIETY *and* CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Royal Neighbors to Meet.

The Royal Neighbor lodge will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Modern Woodman hall.

To Hold Business Meeting.

The Amoma class of the First Baptist Sunday School will hold a business meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in the parlors of the church.

Rebekah Lodge to Meet.

Alert Rebekah lodge will meet Thursday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. The drill team is expected to be in attendance as there is some special work to be exemplified.

In Honor of Miss McAnulty.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lippman entertained with a supper last night at their home, Valley View farm, complimentary to Miss Ora Eckles and her guest, Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph.

Join Party at Big Lake.

Miss Nina Bent and Miss Isora Pierpoint went to Big Lake Sunday morning to join a party of friends who have taken a cottage at the lake for the week. Others in the party are Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Osburn, Miss Mary Sewell, Miss Olivette Godsey, Miss Vijune Colden and Miss Georgia Evans.

To Organize Women for Dry Campaign.

Miss Alice M. Peters, president of the Nodaway county W. C. T. U. has called a meeting of the women of the county at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the public rest rooms for the purpose of furthering the cause of prohibition and to make it state wide. Every woman's organization in the city is expected to send a representative and any one interested is invited to attend.

Mrs. Patton and Children Visiting in Maryville.

Mrs. W. Patton and children, Mary Kate and Markham of Bonne Terre, Mo., arrived in the city Sunday to spend some time visiting Mrs. Patton's mother, Mrs. Norman Chamberlain and her sister, Miss Lois Markham. Mrs. Patton has visited in the city before and has made many friends who will regret to learn that she is in poor health and she expects to spend the home visit in quiet and rest in an effort to recuperate.

Gives Bridge for Visiting Friend.

Mrs. George B. Baker and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker entertained guests at five tables of bridge this morning who were asked to meet Miss Mary Louise Shively of Evanston, Ill., who is visiting the Bakers. The courtesies of the invitations were shared by Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City, Miss Mary Schaaber of Reading, Pa., and Miss Margaret Beattie of Newport, Ark., who are in the city on visits to home folks. The high score favor was awarded to Miss Clara Sturm.

Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Filbert, well known residents not only in their home town of Tarkio, but throughout this section of Missouri, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. They were pleasantly surprised by a party of their relatives and neighbors who came with congratulations and good wishes to spend the day with them. At noon a sumptuous wedding feast was spread and when all were seated at the table, the eldest grandchild, Jake Bishop, presented the fifty-year old bride and groom with a number of gold coins, a remembrance of those present. Pictures were taken in the afternoon of the family group which consisted of parents, one son, four daughters, twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Filbert were married at Bloomfield, Ind., in 1868. Shortly after they moved to Nodaway county and settled on a farm north of Maryville. They lived here until eighteen years ago, when they moved to Tarkio. In their long years of residence in Missouri Mr. and Mrs. Filbert have won the kindly feeling and respect of all who know them. The out of town guests present at the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Baker and family of Clarinda, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Taylor and family of Maryville, Mrs. Della Burch and family of Westboro, Mrs. Eliza Bishop and son, Jesse, and Mr. and Mrs. Dade Bishop and family of Peru, Nebr., Sam Filbert of Well Fleet, Nebr., Jake Bishop and daughter, Helen of Miriam, Nebr.

The meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist church has been postponed from tomorrow afternoon to next Thursday afternoon.

NO MARRIED JOY FOR JOY

Ravenwood Man In Petition Charges Wife With Uncontrollable Temper and Indignities

According to the petition for divorce filed today in the circuit court there has not been much joy in the married life of Wm. D. Joy of Ravenwood, who charges that an ungovernable temper and many indignities has made life with Sarah F. Joy, his wife, unbearable.

In his petition the plaintiff states that on many occasions his wife would fly into a violent temper and curse and abuse him, threatening to take his life and to poison herself. On various occasions, it is charged, she left unceremoniously and went to Arkansas, selling off household goods to pay the expenses of her trips. The Joys were married in Siloam Springs, Ark., in 1904, and have one child, Jesse Joy, 13, the care and custody of whom is asked by the father.

W. B. Gex of Graham is confined to his home on account of sickness, being threatened with fever.

Notice to Druggists

Price Advance

For over a year now we have succeeded in maintaining our old prices, principally by virtue of a big increase in sales, which reduced our overhead cost.

For our fiscal year ending July 1, 1918, our sales amounted to over a million dollars—an increase of 58 per cent over the preceding year.

We had hoped to bridge the war period without a change in prices on

Vick's VapoRub

but we find that our economies do not keep pace with our rising costs. It is with sincere regret, therefore, that we are forced to announce an increase, effective August 1, which will make it necessary to retail VapoRub at

30c,60c and $1.20

The Vick Chemical Co.
Greensboro, N. C.

CALL FOR FIVE VOLUNTEERS

Men Will Be Sent to Camp Funston for Service August 26

The draft board is in receipt of a call from the government for five men to go to Camp Funston during the five day period beginning August 26. The board will hold the call open for a few days for registrants who may desire to volunteer. If the quota is not filled by volunteer enlistment the board will choose the men. The call is for military service.

Guests Here From Canada.

The Misses Nicholas of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Canada, who are spending the summer visiting relatives in Iowa and Missouri are in Maryville visiting their uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. W. M. Blackford.

To Vacation in Country.

Mrs. Louella Landfather and daughters, Marie, Blanche and Lota Clare, went to the home of Mrs. Landfather's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clayton, near Graham today to spend a week visiting.

Marriage Licenses.

The following persons were issued marriage licenses today:

Lawrence E. Whaller of Browning, Mo., and Marye E. White of Hopkins.

Earl J. Stone of Bedford, Ia., and Irene Miller of Hopkins.

Bedison Bridge Burns.

The burning last night of a wagon bridge crossing the Wabash tracks between Bedison and Conception caused a delay of several hours in train service on the road last night.

Government Takes Prune Crop.

A large part of the Oregon prune crop, which promises to be the largest ever produced, will be taken over by the government, according to an announcement made by W. K. Newell, assistant federal food administration, who says that all prune packers have ben directed by the United States food administration to hold all prunes of the 50-60 size for government use.

Graham Christian Church.

Preaching at Maitland next Lord's Day at 11 a. m., and at Palestine at night.

The Skidmore chautauqua begins next Sunday. There will be a union Sunday school at 10 o'clock and Palestine voted to dismiss their school and attend at Skidmore.

Our Aerial Adhesive.

When this country's first regular airplane mail service was inaugurated on May 15 betwen New York and Washington, with Philadelphia as a stopping point, each letter carried in this way bore a special airplane stamp, says the American Boy. The colors of this adhesive, a novelty in the philatelic history of the United States, are red, white and blue, the national colors, and its denomination is twenty-four cents, the amount of the fee charged for an ordinary letter transported over this modern route. It had ben nearly sixty years since this government had issued a twenty-four cent stamp and the new label is the second which our government has printed with an airplane as the design, such a machine having been shown on the twenty- cent stamp of the parcel post series of 1912.

Curiously, in printing the new stamp an error was committed which will make the label unique in the country's philatelic happenings. One sheet of the 24-cent air post labels has been discovered with the airplane turned upside down. Col. E. H. R. Green, son of the late Hetty Green, purchased this sheet for $20,000 and those of the individual inverts which he did not retain for his own collection are being quoted at from $175 to $250 each, according to the perforation condition of the stamp.

Defy Shells for Music.

Trying to carry off a piano on which the Huns were playing with a machine gun was an experience of two Y. M. C. A. secretaries and three Anzac orderlies on the Australian sector in France recently. Music had such charms for this quintette that, after finding the heavy piano too ponderous to carry from the ruins of the "Y" hut, the five adventurers tried to remove the small upright, only to have it stick in the doorway. Without waiting for the exit to be widened by the shells which were coming over the soldiers and Red Triangle men fled with a moving picture machine just as the Boche began puttingf down shells in all seriousness.

Elmo Has Five-Day Chautauqua.

The people of Elmo have been enjoying a five days chautauqua, which opened Sunday afternoon and will close tomorrow. The programs have been given by the Jones chautauqua company and have been attractive and well attended.

WILCOX.

Ora Hainline, Simon Lynch and Roy Hostetter are working in the harvest fields near Haiti, Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Shell are the happy parents of an eight pound baby boy, Edison Edgar.

Miss Mary Ballenger of Burlington Junction, who has been visiting relatives and friends near Wilcox, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Ella Smith of Council Bluffs, Ia., visited friends here last week.

Miss Mildred Thompson is visiting her brother, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, who live south of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Adams announce the birth of a baby boy.

Mrs. Al Heflin left Wednesday for Denver, Colo., where she will visit her sister.

The Earnest Workers class of the Wilcox Methodist Sunday school met with Josephine Jenson Saturday night. Refreshments were served. Those present were Mae Mitchell, Mae McGinness, Nellie Hall, Luther Jenson, Eugene Hall, Violet Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Sorenus Jenson, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Mitchell, and son, Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell and children.

Mrs. Meg Cook of Burlington Junction is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shell announce the birth of a baby boy.

MRS. GORSCHE DEAD.

Funeral Services to be Held at Conception Tomorrow.

Mrs. M. Gorsche died at five o'clock yesterday afternoon at her home near Conception.

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Conception church.

The Fighting Man's Watch

MUST BE
—RELIABLE
—HANDY

That is why the wrist watch has been so popular with the soldier. It is possible to learn the time without the trouble experienced with the old fashioned pocket watch. And then—being strapped to the wrist eliminates the possibilities of loss.

See that the soldier from your home has a wrist watch.

Elgin and American Made With Plain or Illuminated Dial

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The reputation for quality that these watches have gained is absolutely unquestioned. We have them in a large variety of clever designs that will excite admiration.

All of our jewelry is sold on an exact statement of its individual merits. No customer makes a purchase in this store due to misrepresentation of goods.

Any article bought in this store goes to you with the stamp of our approval and our assurance that it will prove satisfactory to you.

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(Contractors to the U. S. Government. Trench Lighting, Signal Rocket, Ship Signals, Depth Bombs)

OUR BOYS "OVER-THERE"—IN FRONT AND OVER THE TOP—ON TO BERLIN

MODERN WARFARE

The Same as Shown at Iowa, Minnesota, Ohio, Michigan, Pennsylvania, New York and 25 Other Fairs and Expositions

Midnight Attack on The Trenches of an Opposing Army. American Troops Charging Across "No Man's Land"

Arrival of U. S. troops somewhere in France. Most thrilling battle scene ever staged. Destruction of historic bulidings.	$1,000 display of fireworks nightly. Trench shells, signal rockets, barrage fires, liquid bombs.	Reception and grand review of all the allied troops correctly costumed.	34,000 yards of oil painted fire proof canvas, produced from photos actually taken at the front.	American troops rushing a German fort. Destruction of monster aerial war balloons.	250 performers. 10 circus acts, flower girls, marines, tourists, refugees, etc.	Giant siege guns, trench mortars, armored cars. Aerial battles.	Generals Pershing Foch, and Haig. American, French, English and Italian troops, all in grand review.

Nothing outside the actual spilling of human blood could be more thrilling than Modern Warfare, now showing at Riverview. If you are a red blooded American go see it.—Chicago Tribune, July 5.

Modern Warfare, by the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Co., at Manhattan Beach, comes nearer bringing home to you the horrors of Hun warfare than anything yet produced—all in all a wonderful production.—New York Sun, July 3.

FRIDAY RED CROSS DAY.

The local Red Cross Chapters are to receive 10 per cent of the receipts. Hear Gov. Harding and help the Red Cross.

ED. A. EVANS GREATER SHOWS
15—HIGH CLASS MORAL SHOWS—15
4—RACES DAILY—4
3—HIGH CLASS BANDS—3

EVERY DAY A BIG DAY.

Friday Gov. Wm. L. Harding will Deliver an Address at the Fair Grounds at 1:00.

REMEMBER THE DATES

August 19th to 23rd, Inclusive

CLARINDA FAIR AND EXPOSITION

General 50c Admission

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dwellings, at $6,000, $5,000, $4,500, $1,600, $1,500 and $750; a nicely improved 7½-acre tract at only $5,300; two farms to trade for Maryville suburban, and a 20 to trade for Maryville residence. All worth the money and on good terms.
R. L. M'DOUGAL. 1-17

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good well augur. Harry Harrison. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Cheap, good work horse and one set of single wagon harness. 5-7

FOR SALE—30 thoroughbred Buff Orpington chickens, weight 2 to 3 lbs. Call Hanamo 550. 422 N. Walnut. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car, good as new. Clark's Machine Shop. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Ford touring car. Henry Wagoner, Hanamo 2Y. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Two 1916 Ford touring cars and one 1912 Ford touring car, all in first class condition; will demonstrate. L. B. Campbell, Barnard, Mo. 5-7

FOR SALE—Piano boxes. See H. B. Cushman, 209 S. Main St. 6-8

FOR SALE—Overland touring car in good running order. See R. J. Bagby, Farmers Garage. 6-8*

FOR SALE — 4-room house, two lots, price is right; terms easy, monthly payments; beats rent. See Holmes & Wolfert. 7-9*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms over Kuchs Bros. store. Paul Sisson. 23-tf

FOR RENT—Nice, clean, modern rooms for light housekeeping; close to high school. 404 E. 1st. Han. 3625. 30tf

FOR RENT—Suite of furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern except heat; close in. Call Hanamo 4688. 5-7

FOR RENT—The Hastings, house, barn and about one acre of ground on E. Lawn Ave. See W. C. Pierce, executor Hastings estate. 6-8

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern except heat, good brick cellar and smoke house, located 1122 N. Mulberry. Vacant after Aug. 15 Inquire 415 W. 9th. 6-8*

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—License No. 55,218 and tail light. Please return to Democrat-Forum. 6-8*

FOUND—Sum of money. Owner may have by identifying same and paying for this ad. Call Farmers 17-15. 6-8

NOTICE — All landholders in District 6 are hereby notified to cut all hedges along public highways by the 20th. J. L. Kime, overseer. 6-8*

WANTED

GOVERNMENT needs 20,000 clerks at Washington. Examinations everywhere in August. Experience unnecessary. Men and women desiring government positions write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner), 47 Kenois Bldg., Washington. 2-12*

WANTED—A single man to get a good al-the-year-around job on a farm. Only a good man who wants to work and wants to stay need apply. W. C. Pierce. 5-7

ALL PARTIES knowing themselves indebted to me, kindly call and settle at once. Alma M. Nash, 319 West Thompson. 5-10

WANTED—At once, several men for shoveling and wheeling. The Engelmann Greenhouses. 5-7

WANTED—Boy's wagon in good condition. Carl and Wilbur Woods, Hanamo 5213. 6-8

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. W. C. Johnston, 301 East Third street. Tel. Han. 3527. 3tf

WANTED—To buy 80 acres in Nodaway or adjoining counties on easy terms. Reply to Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

BIG ARMIES ARE RESTING

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vanced astride the Clarence river early this morning.

Paris, Aug. 7. — Progress on two fronts and a repulse of the German counter attacks was reported by the French war office today. In the Montdidier sector on the Picardy front the French gained in local attacks south of Framcourt and southeast of Mesnil St. Georges. On the Vesle front the French during the night repulsed a German attack in the district of LaGrange farm, capturing the railway station of Sery Malaonne.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Future.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—CORN—August, $1.57.; September, $1.61.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts 16,000; steers $13 @ $18.50; cows $6 @ $14.50.

HOGS—Receipts 10,000; top $19.75; bulk $19.60.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per doz.	30c
Cream, per lb	43c
Hides, per lb.	12c
Hens, per lb.	22c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c

STRAYED—Small black pig, weight about 20 lbs. Notify Bert Bratcher at Hudson & Welch hardware store. 7-9*

To Buy Fall Merchandise.

Ralph Eversole will leave Friday for New York City where he will purchase new fall dry goods for the Eversole store. He wil be accompanied by his mother, Mrs. D. R. Eversole, who will visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Grady, and by Mrs. Susan Walker, who will spend several months with her daughter, Mrs. Stanlay Glass.

Former Maryville Man Elected.

Earl Wiles of Cherokee, Okla., formerly prosecuting attorney of this county, was nominated as district judge on the Republican ticket yesterday.

U-BOAT SINKS LIGHT SHIP.

Washington, Aug. 7.—The Diamond Shoals light ship off Cape Hatteras was shelled and sunk by a German submarine late yesterday, the navy department announced today. The crew was saved.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted
WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
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MARYVILLE, MO

Auto Owners

When your radiators, tank, hood ,or fenders need repairing, take them to

E. W. HEIDEMAN
Opposite P. O., Maryville, Mo.

PROTECT AND BRIGHTEN UP THE HOME.

Call Strong and Daniels for Painting and Modern Interior Decorating.

Hanamo 3207.

CALDWELL MOTOR COMPANY
Clearmont, Mo.

Agency for Maxwell cars and trucks in Nodaway County. We have plenty of cars and can make delivery at any time.

Hameaulier
A Pure Bred Percheron Stallion.

A dark steel gray, weight 1,970, fine style and action. $15 to insure living colt to stand and suck. Will make the season of 1918 at the barn of J. R. Dowden, three-fourths mile east of Myrtle Tree.
Farmers F1-15.

HOME Kulturized

SCHOOL GIRLS SAVE ON DRESS

Meeting Called Thursday, August 8, to Consider Plan to Conserve On Clothing

At a recent meeting of the board of education the matter of economy in the matter of school dresses for the Maryville public school girls was discussed. It was felt that our school girls could, through a little effort, help very much in the matter of conservation of clothing and thus help the government win the war. The board felt, however, that the girls themselves should be the ones to decide whether they wanted to adopt such a plan. With this idea in mind a resolution was passed to the effect that it was the opinion of the board of education that our girls have an opportunity to show their patriotism by saving something on the expense of their school clothing and that they would like very much to see the girls themselves adopt some plan that would accomplish this purpose. Many of girls have already expressed themselves as being perfectly willing to do all they can to help this plan along.

In accordance with this suggestion therefore, a meeting will be held at the high school building on Thursday, August 8, at 4 o'clock, of all the girls in both high school and grades to determine some plan that can be worked out. Let every girl come and give her support to this movement. Miss Laura Hawkins will have charge of the meeting.

GAVE A BOGUS CHECK.

Fred Kling of Barnard Pleads Guilty and Is Fined $23.50.

Fred Kling of Barnard was arrested yesterday, charged with passing a worthless check. On arraignment before Justice W. L. Johnson he pleaded guilty and was fined $10 and costs, a total of $23.50. The check for $8 was given to the Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Co., and was drawn on the Farmers and Citizens Bank of Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale L. Whitehurst, formerly of this city, but now of Salt Lake City, Utah, announce the arrival of a daughter, born July 30, whom they have named Marylynn Lorance.

To Visit Yellowstone.

Virgil Rathbun left this morning on a six weeks trip through Yellowstone Park and other western places.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

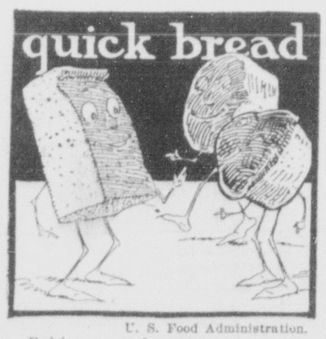
Quincy Visitors to Come.

Mrs. J. R. Pearce of Quincy, Ill., will arrive in Maryville tomorrow noon to visit her sister, Mrs. James H. Eckles, and family of 219 West Torrance street.

Arrives Safely "Over There."

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire received word Monday of the safe arrival in England of their son, Irwin D. Alkire, who left the States with a hospital corps from Fort Des Moines, Ia.

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office.



U. S. Food Administration.

Baking powder biscuits, co'n bread, muffins, brown bread, griddle cakes en waffles is wot dey call "quick breads."

You all makes 'em wid one cup er wheat flour ter two cups er substitute flour to save all de wheat dat kin be saved fer de sojers. Some folks kin git er'long widout any wheat at all and are glad to do it ter help win de war.

Dat ain't bad med'cine to take, fo' who's gwine tu'n up his nose at good co'n bread er biscuits er flapjacks?

FACING FACTS

By KATHERINE HOPSON.

Ever since Arthur Denby and Lucile Bard had taken away the stigma of "unlucky thirteen" from their class by becoming one, they had planned to hold a class reunion at their home; and one summer, five years after their graduation, they succeeded in bringing it about. They were all there, the original thirteen, together with the wives and husbands of the six married ones.

On the outskirts of the merry group sat Ethel Claxton. Somehow she was usually the odd girl in every gathering. She felt herself so now, although there was an even number of men and girls at the Denbys' house party. She knew that on the present occasion their hostess had paired her off with Ted Foster. Nevertheless both he and Brian Hedrick vied with each other in their attentions to pretty, frivolous Sibyl Landon.

The same state of affairs continued next day when the entire party, packed in various conveyances, started to Rainbow falls for a beefsteak fry.

"It's really tragic," she thought. "This will-o'-the-wisp, endless-chain business"—my caring for Ted and his infatuation for Sibyl, who doesn't care a straw for him.

The day dragged and after the picnic dinner, while the others were grouped about the camp fire, Ethel stole away unobserved.

It was not until a couple of hours later, when Mrs. Denby was rounding up her party preparatory to going home, that they actually missed her. Then the cry went up: "Where's Ethel?"

"We must look for her," declared Arthur Denby. "She may have wandered much farther than she realized and lost her way."

They separated, little groups going in different directions. All felt a sense of guilt for neglect toward the girl whom they had known so long, yet none knew well.

"I counted on you, Ted, to help make things pleasant for Ethel," reproved Mrs. Denby in an aside.

"I'm afraid I've been a bit remiss," Foster answered contritely. And in that mood started off alone, determined to find her. It seemed to him that the green, rushing water of the rapid mountain stream mocked him. When he reached a point that commanded a view of the falls he suddenly caught sight of her quietly sitting on an overhanging rock watching the changing play of waters.

"Hello," he called, patent relief in his voice. "You've given us the scare of our lives."

"Why, what's the matter?"

"We've been hunting you for the last hour. Thought you were lost sure enough."

"Is it late?" she asked.

"Yes—you know darkness comes in a hurry up here in the mountains. We'd better hurry back—the others are ready to start home." Now that she was found and was safe, he was ready to relegate her to the background once more.

For a moment she was silent, then said: "I'm not ready to go yet." She spoke quietly, but there was a strange gleam in her gray eyes.

"Not ready? Why, they're all waiting," he returned in surprise.

"Let them wait! I must have a few minutes—you know when anything first comes out of its shell it's a bit wabbly—and—needs a little time to recover itself."

"What do you mean?" In sheer surprise he dropped down on the rock beside her.

She laughed. "Just what I've said. I've done a lot of thinking in the two hours I've been sitting here. I've been facing facts, in other words, and am determined to be a different sort of person than the one you've known before."

He still stared half-comprehendingly, and she hurried on: "I see that the neglect and indifference I've always met with have been largely my own fault. I didn't impress others. I've decided to throw overboard everything I've cared for before and start life on a different basis—in lighter vein as it were."

"What do you mean by things you've cared for before?"

"Well—you, for instance. I admit I used to care tremendously. But you—you never paid any more attention to me than if I'd been a figure in the wallpaper. But that's all over and done with now. I'm born anew!" She rose with a gesture of pose and power. "I'm ready to go now."

"But I'm not," he protested. "I'm not ready at all. Why—why is it I've been so blind?"

"None are so blind as those who will not see," she quoted.

"With me it wasn't a case of wouldn't—but simply not having my eyes opened. They're open now all right."

She started to go, but he laid detaining hands on her slender scarlet-clad shoulders. "You said you didn't care any more. But I'm going to begin all over again and try and make you care. Will you give me a try?"

For one challenging second their eyes met. Then, with a gay little laugh she said: "Well—I'm open to conviction."

Bad Signs.

"Do you think it is going to be smooth sailing with our new cook?"

"I am afraid from the sounds that came from the kitchen when she was washing the dishes there are going to be breakers ahead."

MORE BEEF NEEDED BY ALLIED NATIONS

EXPORTATION OF 130 MILLION POUNDS A MONTH REQUESTED OF FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

U. S. IS ASKED TO CONSERVE

Substitution of Pork Is Recommended to American People in New Meat Regulations.

Last winter the Missouri division of the Food administration was urging the people of the state to limit their consumption of meat, especially pork and pork products. Now it is asking that pork be substituted for beef.

"Why is it that we are asked at one time not to eat pork and at another time we are urged to eat it?" some have inquired. "The Food Administration doesn't seem to know what it wants to do."

The answer to this question is simple enough. No rules or regulations can be made to last for an indefinite period. With changing conditions different regulations must be made and restrictions have to be modified. Last winter the Allies were in dire need of fats, of pork, hams and bacon. By cutting down the consumption of pork in this country more was released for shipment to the hungry Allies. Exportation of pork reached 300,000,000 pounds a month and the people of England, France, Belgium and Italy were saved from a pork famine.

Recently the Allies asked that we cut down on the exportation of pork, as they were well supplied for a time, and send 130,000,000 pounds of beef instead. So the people of America were asked to conserve on beef and substitute pork that the request of the Allies might be fulfilled. The new beef conservation program was put into effect solely on this account. One hundred and thirty million pounds now are being sent; before the war only three or four million pounds a month were exported.

This development in the world's meat situation makes additional conservation of beef necessary, but our increased supply of pork this summer permits a freer use of hog products. It will therefore be a direct service to our armies and the Allies if the people will substitute in some degree fresh pork, bacon, ham and sausages for beef products.

The Food Administration now asks householders under no circumstances to buy more than 1¼ pounds of clear beef weekly, or 1½ pounds with the bone, for each person in the household. This program is expected to hold good until September 15 and the co-operation of the public is earnestly requested.

Conservation of beef is particularly requested of hotels and public eating places.

JOSEPH WAS WISE TO STORE RESERVE AGAINST A FAMINE

The wisdom of Joseph in providing against the lean years and preventing a great famine in Egypt by his foresight, is commended to the people of Missouri by F. B. Mumford, federal food administrator for Missouri. Despite the prospect of a large wheat crop and the promising outlook for an extraordinary yield of other food supplies. Mr. Mumford declares it behooves the people to continue the limitations on consumption and store up an unprecedented surplus for the demands of the future.

"There is no justification for selfish indulgence in food," said Mr. Mumford. "It will be time when this war is over—and that will not be for two or three years, judging from present indications—to think about changing our food habits. It is America's duty to feed Europe now, and this duty will be even more important as time goes on.

"The possibilities of short crops in the future are too imminent to admit of any change in our food program. We must store up a huge surplus; never before have we been faced with the task of feeding the world. We must save and continue to save of our wheat, meats and sugar. We must be prepared to share with the Allies when the days of small crops are upon us."

The maximum prices at which farmers may sell cattle for slaughter in Switzerland has been fixed at 23 cents a pound on the farm. Maximum prices for meats have also been established.

Horse flesh is included among the meats now rationed in England under the card system.

ALLIES' FOOD MARGINS ARE THIN.

If the United States fails to send the food that is asked of us, we lessen the perilously thin margin between mere food lack and food disaster, and the Teuton yoke settles a little more heavily on Europe's galled shoulders, but heaviest of all on broken Belgium. —Missouri Division, U. S. Food Administration.

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Saturday, August 10

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